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SUBJ: CIVAIR: EXCHANGE OF LETTERS ON CHARTERS

REF: A) BERN 2810, JULY 26, 1974 B) STATE 160631,

JULY 25, 1974 ;) STATE 117992, JUNE 5, 1974

EMBASSY HAS RECEIVED COPY OF MARCH 7 LETTER FROM WERNER
GULDIMANN,

LECTOR SWISS FEDERAL AIR OFFICE, TO DEPUTY
ASSISTANT SECRETARY WALDMANN WHICH REFERS TO LAST YEAR'S
EXCHANGE OF LETTERS ON CHARTERS AND GIVES NOTICE OF
CHANGES IN SWISS CHARTER REGULATIONS. FOLLOWING IS
TEXT OF SUBSTANTIVE PORTION OF GULDIMANN LETTER:

QUOTE: 1. FOR ADVANCE BOOKING CHARTERS AND AFFIN-
ITY CHARTERS ORIGINATING IN SWITZERLAND WE SHALL ACCEPT
THAT, UP TO THE DEPARTURE DATE OF A FLIGHT NOT MORE
THAN 15 PERCENT OF THE NUMBER OF SEATS CONTRACTED FOR MAY
BE TRANSFERRED TO PASSENGERS WHO HAVE COMMITTED
THEMSELVES AT LEAST 60 DAYS BEFORE THE FLIGHT TAKES
PLACE AND WHO APPEAR ON A WAITING LIST IN WHICH THE
NUMBER OF PASSENGERS DOES NOT EXCEED 100 PERCENT OF THE NUMBER
OF SEATS CONTRACTED FOR.

2. WE SHALL ALLOW THE CARRIAGE OF ABC GROUPS TOGETHER
WITH AFFINITY - AND INCLUSIVE TOUR CHARTER GROUPS ON THE
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SAME AIRCRAFT PROVIDED THAT EACH GROUP CONSISTS OF AT

LEAST 40 PARTICIPANTS AND CONFORMS TO THE SWISS CONDITIONS APPLICABLE FOR EACH PARTICULAR TYPE OF CHARTER. SINCE THE CAB RULES PROVIDE EQUALLY FOR THE COMINGLING OF DIFFERENT CHARTER CATEGORIES ON FLIGHTS ORIGINATING IN THE U.S.A. WE CONSIDER IT APPROPRIATE TO APPLY THE SAME RULES TO FLIGHTS ORIGINATING IN SWITZERLAND PARTICULARLY AS A DIFFERENT TREATMENT COULD WHETHER (SIC) LEGALLY NOR ECONOMICALLY BE JUSTIFIED IN THIS COUNTRY. END QUOTE. DR. GULDIMANN ALSO STATES THAT CHARTER UNDERSTANDING CONTAINED IN EXCHANGE OF LETTERS VALID UNTIL DECEMBER 31, 1975, AND SWISS WOULD APPRECIATE U.S. COMMENTS REGARDING POSSIBLE RENEWAL OR AMENDMENT. DAVIS

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